

Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Studies (BOS), Department of Mass Communication & Media

Held on: 09th and 10th July, 2018

A meeting of the Board of Studies of the Department of Mass Communication & Media, School of Media, Arts and Aesthetics was held on 09th and 10th July, 2018 in the Department. The following members were present.

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| Dr. Atish Prashar, Dean (I/C) & Head | Convener |
| Prof. Dr. G. P Pandey, AUS | External member |
| Dr. Ram Kumar, CUSB, Patna | Cognate member |
| Prof. T. B. Singh, CUSB, Patna | Cognate member |
| Dr. Kinshuk Pathak, CUSB, Patna | Member |
| Dr. Sujeet Kumar, CUSB, Patna | Member |
| Dr. Anindya Deb, CUSB, Patna | Member |

At the outset the convener welcomed the members and presented the draft structure and content of the syllabi of PG and Ph.D. Courses in Mass Communication proposed to be run from the forthcoming academic session.

On day- one (i.e. 09.07.2018) the committee reviewed and discussed the draft structure of "M.A. in Journalism and Mass Communication" and "Ph. D in Journalism and Mass Communication" courses along with academic ordinance of MAJMC. The committee suggested several changes in the structure as well as the content of the syllabi of the said courses. Further in the light of UGC notification vide no.F.5-1/2013 dated July 5, 2014, committee suggested to restructure of the existing nomenclature i.e. MACMS as MAJMC to make it at par with other universities.


The revised Syllabus of the "Ph.D in Journalism and Mass Communication" course was reviewed again and the committee expressed its satisfaction. It was unanimously resolved that the attached Syllabus of the said course be recommended for further approval by the competent body/authority of the University.


On day- two (i.e. 10.07.2018) the committee reviewed and discussed the draft content of the syllabi of "M.A. in Journalism and Mass Communication" and Ph. D in Journalism and Mass Communication courses. The committee suggested to modify the structure of the syllabus of MAJMC course in accordance with the choice based credit system recommended by the University Grants Commission. Accordingly, the structure was modified and the courses were allocated into Core, Elective, and Skill Enhancement Courses along with SWAYAM courses. Further few new courses under the said categories were also proposed and included in the syllabus.

The revised Syllabi of the "M.A. in Journalism and Mass Communication" course was reviewed again and the committee expressed its satisfaction and resolved that the attached Syllabi of the said courses be recommended for further approval by the competent body/authority of the University.

The meeting ended with thanking external members and internal members for giving their valuable inputs and time.


Dr. Atish Prashar 10/07/18


Prof. Dr. G. P Pandey 10/07/18


Prof. T. B. Singh 10-7-18


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